NO-HIT FLINGERS NOT SO SCARCE

Five of This Brand on Cardinals' Hurling Staff for 1914 Season.

SUGGS AND NIEHAUS LEAD

Each Went Eleven Full Innings Without Allowing Single Safe Swat.

There will be on view in the major leagues this coming season a whole flock of no-hit heroes, for many of the prominent hurlers in the Johnson, Tener and Glimore organizations denied their opponents hits when they were working in class A, B, C and D leagues. On the Cardinal pitching staff, for ex-On the Cardinal pitching staff, for example, there are five men who have wirled games in which their adversaries failed to garner a bingle, Booth Hopper, the young man Roger Bresnahan traded for a hunting doe, having two hitless performances to his credit. Both, incidentally, were against the same club—Pittsfield, of the Eastern Association—and they came close together, one on April 27 and one on May 14. Joe Willis pitched two no-hit affairs when he was in the Three Eye 14. Joe Willis pitched two no-hit affairs when he was in the Three Eya League, and George Franklin Suggs, Kinston, N. C.s, best known clitzen, once went for cleven innings without permitting any safeties. This was on September 8, 1896, when he was with Memphis, and his victims were the Nashvilles. Suggs was an fron man that afterneon, for after getting this no-hit combat out of his system he turned in and blanked his opponents in turned in and blanked his opponents in the afterpiece of the double-header, then allowing seven safeties.

Nichaus a Hitless Wouder.

Nichaus, another Cardinal curver, equaled Sugge's record of not permitting a safety for eleven lanings when he was with Charleston, of the Mountain States League in 1911. He wore his tain States League in 1911. He won his game, 1 to 0, striking out sixteen men, and by an odd coincidence the man who opposed him was George Baumgardner, of the Browns. The American Reds—Packard, for Independence. Leaguer, then with Huntington, kept pace with Nichaus for ten rounds and, weakening in the eleventh, allowed three hits. Baumgardner's strike-out victims totaled fourteen.

Reds—Packard, for Independence, Kap., in 1908, no player reaching first. Superbas—Pfeffer, for Fort Wayne, Ind., in 1910—lost game, 1 to 0; Wagner, for Columbia, S. C., in 1909 and 1911; Ragan, for Omaha, Neb., in 1907.

Brant, of the Boston Red Sox, when he was with the Beaumont, Texas, League team in 1912, was the author of a longer no-hit game than either Suggs or Nichaus. He traveled twelve innings without allowing a safety, and was returned a winner on the basis of 2 to 1 through a home-run clout made

by his backstop.

Bert Humphries, of the Cubs; Harry Covaleski, of the Tigers, and General Packard, who will be with the Federals this year, turned the John Montgomery Ward, J. Lee Richmond, Denton J. Young, Adrian C. Joss feat of not allowing first base to be reached while they were twirling no-hit games in the minors. Humphries pitched his wonderful no-hit contest for Charlerol, of the Pennsylvania-West Virginia League against Fairmont in 1908, and it followed right in the wake of a game in which he had used the white wash brush and allowed only one safe-

National League. Braves-Quint, for Hichmond, Va. in 1908; Cocrehan, for Topeka, Kan., in 1912; Mitchell, for Toronto, Ont., in

Cubs-Vaugha, for Macon, Ga., 1995, and Kansas City, Mo., in 1912; Humphries, for Charlerol, Ph., in 1908, no player reaching first; Moore, for Dayton C. in 1909, Koestner, for Los Angeles, Cal., in 1909.

Cardinals-Hopper, two games for New Haven, Conn., in 1912; Willis, for Springfield, Ill., in 1910, and Decatur, Ill., in 1911; Suggs, for Memphis, Tenn., in 1906 (eleven innings), Nichaus, for Huntington, W. Va. in 1911; Robinson, for El Reno, Kan., in 1910. Glants—Marquard, two cames for In-



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OFFICIAL VIRGINIA LEAGUE SCHEDULE

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AT HOME *Saturday. *Double-header.	Saturdays 13. May 30, Decoration Day, A. M. & P. M., with Petersburg, July 4, P. M., with Petersburg, Labor Day, P. M., with Petersburg.	Saturdays, 10. July 4. A. M., with Richmond. Labor Day, A. M., with Richmond.	Saturdays, 12. Decoartion Day, P. M., with Portsmouth. July 4, P. M., with Portsmouth. Labor Day, P. M., with Portsmouth.	Enturdays, 12. Decoration Day, A. M. & P. M., with Roanoke. July 4, A. M. & P. M., with Roanoke.	Saturdays, 9. Decoration Day, A. M., with Norfolk. July 4, A. M., with Norfolk. Labor Day, A. M., with Norfolk.	Saturdays, 10. Labor Day, A. M. & P. M., with Newport News.

Ragan, for Omaha, Neb., in 1907.

ROLLER ANXIOUS

game in which he had used the whitewash brush and allowed only one safety. Fackard's celebrated combat came the same season out in the Oklahoma-Kansas League, Covaleski picked 1909 as the year in which to keep the bases free from runners, his victims being the Trinity College boys.

Covaleski pitched a no-hit game in which his opponents were victorious, other men who have had the misfortune to do the same thing being Pfeffer. If the Superbas, and Wolfgang, of the White Sox. One of the no-hit games credited to Jack Warhop, of the Yankees, was reeled off on his birthday. July 4. The no-hit games pitched by the major leagues when they were in the minors are enumerated below, pitchers who will be with the Federals this year being placed with their former clubs:

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Naps—Gregg, for Portland, Ore., in 1916. Mitchell, for San Antonio, Tex., in 1908.

Red Sox—Weld, for Kansas City, Mo., in 1908. Masels, for Youngstown, O., in 1913. Brant, for Beaumont, Tex., in 1912. (Twelve innings.)

Senators—Groom, for Portland, Ore., in 1915.

Tigers—Covaleski, for Lancaster, Pa., in 1908. (eight innings.) for Philadelphila, Fa., in 1908, no one reaching first and for Chattanooga, Tenn., in 1913. (seven innings.)—lost this last game, It to 0; Comstock, for Minneapolis, Minn., in 1913; Rochler, for Saginaw, Mich., in 1911.

White Elephants—Brown, for New Britain, Conn., in 1913.

White Sox, 1909—Wolfgang, for Albany, N. Y. In 1916—lost game, It to 0; Prough, for Keckuk, lowa, in 1908. Yankees—Warhop, for Freeport, Ili., in 1966 and 1907; Kenting, for Lawrence, Mass., in 1912; Cole, for Columbus, O., in 1913.

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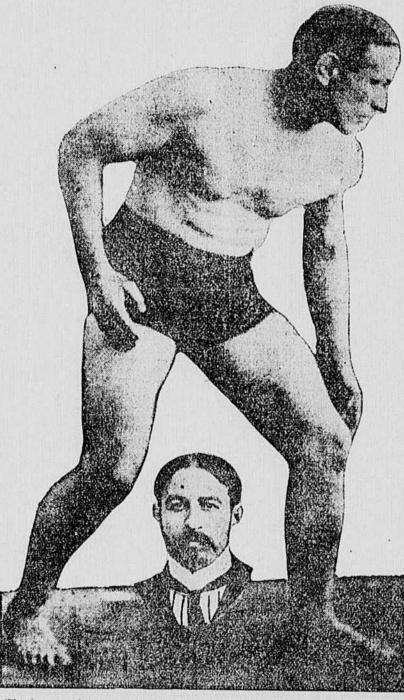
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ROBERT WILKES

He can be reached at 2212

Dr. B. F. Roller To-Day and Yesterday



s physician-wrestler, who will meet Joe Turner and John Kilonis match at the Academy of Music Wednesday night. Holler will both Turner and Kilonis twice each in an hour and a half. It

AMATEUR LEAGUES ARE READY TO PLAY BALL

Rules Adopted and Conditions Vastly Improved Over
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of Secretary.

After a full discussion of the matter, the other clubs unanimously voted for the schedule to which we were opposed, and while we still doubt the wisdom of the action on the part of the interests of the base-ball public of our city.

Very truly yours, all the management of our club will do everything in its power to furnish the best brand of baseball possible, and will use every effort to protect to the fullest extent the interests of the base-ball public of our city.

Very truly yours, all the same time we accepted it as final, and have no intention of doing anything or taking any steps.

THOS. B. McADAMS, President. of Secretary.

The affairs of the amateur baseball commission of Richmond are rounding into shape in great order, and in the next few days this body will meet to make final arrangements for the opening of the commission, which was held at the National State and City Bank on last Wednesday night, was full of interest, and the members present felt that it was one of, if not the best, meeting that this body has ever held.

Profiting by three years' experience, which has shown them many mistakes and brought out all of the weak points of the constitution, by-laws and playing ecason rules of the commission, they have made great changes in these and have discarded many rules which



This plan will be of great benefit to This plan will be of great benefit to all connected with the organization and the commission carnestly request more rapidly with its plans for the that the presidents and managers will coming season than any other league. co-operate with them in carrying it out. The secretary has been instructed especially in regards to contracts and releases, seeing that contracts are forwarded for registration within the required forty-eight hours and all releases and other changes in the lists of any team forwarded him at once. The various leagues report that things are progressing rapidly in their organizations, and by next Saturday, the weather permitting, there will be seen on the sand lots many amateurs limbering up.

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The Capital City League will have six clubs this season, five of them being members of this league last season and one new team, which will be decided upon at the meeting of the league, which will be held some time this week. The five old clubs are the Grays, Collegians, Battle Axe, Ashland and Barton Heights. These teams will all be under practically the same management that they were last season with the exception of the Grays. They have been so fortunate as to secure the service of "Cleve" Balley as their pilot for 1914. Balley has for many years past been associate manager of the Collegians, and should prove of great value to the already good management of this team.

President Lt Touche, of the Old Dominion League, is having his troubles this season, due mainly to the fact that several of the teams of his league will meet this week, and Mr. La Touche says that if the old managers do not come forth and talk business he will proceed to give franchises to the best teams a among the applications that he has received from several sources.

The Commercial League has reduced its circuit from six to four clubs this year, and have secured grounds and prepared a kehedule, which will be ready for ratification by the commission at its next meeting.

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Following is the official bu

on Monday night, will initiate a new and it expects to adopt its schedule at this meeting.

The Richmond League met last Monday night and elected Dan Kelly (some baseball name), who will man-age the Walk Over Shoe Company team, to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of the American Clothing Company, of last year's organization. President Crowder is looking for a good manager to put at the head of the Burk & Company team, Kendler

Owners of Richmond Team Send Letter Explaining Attitude

Gus Malbert, Sporting Editor of The for the purpose of injuring the Vir-Times-Dispatch:

Dear Sir.-From statements which in. been misunderstood.

At the meeting of the league recently held in this city the officers of our club did not approve of the schedule which had been presented to the league for adoption. We felt that such a schedule would seriously injure such a schedule would seriously injure the prospects of the league from every stradpoint, especially a financial one, groundless, and that the league may and would put too much of a strain have a most successful season. Cerupon the clubs in the league which tainly it is our intention to put in the were least able to stand it.

In the course of the discussion we

pointed out to the discussion we other clubs that, in case our fears should prove well-founded and the league should not be able to finish the season, Richmond would possibly suf-fer less than any other city, for the reason we would be able to use our

had things their own way.

Metcalf played the most brilliant game for the soldiers. He scored eleven field goals, and was the best defensive worker on either team. Hell, for C. C. A., was the star of that progression and the scored goals. aggregation, making ten field goals and four fouls. The defensive work of Ryan and the goal shooting of Lawrence featured the last half of the Hay, until removed from the

game. Hay, until removed from the game, put up a good defensive game, although too aggressive for the rules. The line-up and summary:
Howitzers—Lawrence, forward; Felvey, forward; Metcalf centre; Ryan, guard; Rowe, guard, McCurdy, guard. C. C. A.—Beil, forward; Woodward, forward; Murdock, centre; Patterson, guard; Hay, guard; Thacker, guard. Gonls from field—Lawrence, 9: Felvey, 6; Metcalf, 8; Ryan, 1; Bell, 10; Woodward, 2; Murdock, 3; Hay, 1. Woodward, 2; Murdock, 3; Hay, 1.
Goals from foul—Rowe, 3; Bell, 4.
Referce, Christian, C. C. A.; scorer,
Joyce, Howitzers; timekeeper, Jones.
Length of halves, twenty minutes each.

ginia League or any of the clubs there-

have appeared in various papers throughout the State, the attitude of the Richmond Baseball Club toward or any other organization, we intend the Virginia League has apparently to co-operate to the fullest extent, and have no purpose of either starting or At the meeting of the league re- being a party to a conspiracy to disrupt

> groundless, and that the league may field the very best team we can get

It is the purpose of the management to arrange for other games to reason we would be able to use our park in other ways, and would also doubtless be afforded an opportunity to secure a franchise in a higher class league.

RICHMOND BASEBALL CLUB, THOS. B. McADAMS, President, W. B. BRADLEY, Secretary.

G. H. FIGNER



made quite a reputation as a member of the Danforth team in Central New York. He had a batting record of .422 last season, is twenty years old, weighs 162 pounds, and stands five feet eleven inches. He is an outfielder, and ex-pects to make good.

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Lexington, Va., March 7.-Dr. John W. H Pollard, of Washington and Lee, president of the South Atlantic Intercollegiate Athletic Association, announces that by a mail vote St. John's College, department of University of Maryland, Annapolis, Md., has been elected a member of the South Atlantic Association, and will send teams to com pete in the next annual meet to be held at Homewood, Bartimore, on May I and 2. The S. A. I. A. A. now has nine members—Washington and Lee, Georgetown, Richmond College, University of Virginia, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, University of North Carolina, A. & M., of North Carolina, Johns Hopkins and St. John's College.

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